BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Normal.	*Current.*
Prices of food grains—Rice	... 10 to 11.	8 to 8½.
Ragi	... 25 to 30.	25 to 30.

State of standing crops fair.

Ragi under harvest.

Prospect of outturn 8 to 10 annas.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder sufficient.

BANGALORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Ragi and paddy are being harvested and stacked throughout the District. Vaisakhi paddy and potatoes are being sown in the Anekal Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season generally good.

11. Public health good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder abundant.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Vaisakhi paddy in all the Taluks excepting Mulbagal, Chikballapur and Malur; jola and Bengal gram in Goribidnur, is being sown. Ragi and paddy in almost all the taluks and samé in Gudibanda is being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season fair. Food stocks are reported to be ample.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are stated to be in good condition. Ragi in all places; paddy in Tumkur, Maddagiri, Gubbi, Kunigal and Koratagere; samé in Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi and Koratagere; green gram in Chiknayakanhalli; navane in Sira, Gubbi and Koratagere; sugar-cane in Gubbi and Kunigal; castor and horse gram in Gubbi and haraka in Kunigal, are being harvested. Paddy in Tumkur, Sira and Koratagere; Bengal gram in Chiknayakanhalli, Kunigal, Koratagere and Turuvekere; coriander in Kunigal and jola in Koratagere are being sown.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks are reported to be ample.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *viz.*, paddy, sugar-cane, ragi, horse gram, black and green grams, Bengal gram, togare, ballar, hutchellu, haraka, halasandi, castor, cotton, chillies, coriander, menthya, tobacco and mulberry are reported to be in good condition. Paddy is being harvested in parts of the Seringapatam, Hunsur and T. Narsipur Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season good.

11. Public health good. Fever is reported to be prevaling in parts of the Hunsur and Yedatore Taluks.

12. Cattle healthy except in parts of the Heggaddevankote and Krishnarajpete Taluks where they are reported to be suffering from foot and mouth disease. Water and fodder available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *i. e.*, paddy, dodda ragi, kulthi, Bengal gram, cow gram, togare, chillies and castor in Hassan; paddy in Manjarabad; sugar-cane and paddy in Belur and Channarayapatna; dodda ragi, cow gram, kulthi, paddy, sugar-cane, castor and chillies in Arsikere; kulthi, togare, Bengal gram, cow gram, and chillies in Hole-Narsipur; cow gram, togare,

and kulthi in Arkalgud and sugar-cane and kulthi in Alur are in good condition. Paddy in parts of Hassan, Belur, Hole-Narsipur, Arkalgud and Alur and paddy, chillies and ragi in Arsikere, and paddy, sugar-cane and dodda ragi in Channarayapatna are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks are abundant.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Fodder and water sufficient.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *viz.*, paddy, sugar-cane, horse gram and castor are in good condition. The harvesting of paddy is in progress in all the taluks.

10. Food stocks sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Water and fodder abundant.

KADUR.

8. Market fairly supplied.

9. Standing crops, *i. e.*, sugar-cane in the Koppa Taluk; togare, baliar and chillies in the Tarikere Taluk; sugar-cane, ballar, and chillies in the Chikmagalur Taluk and ballar, togare, castor, chillies and sugar-cane in the Kadur Taluk are in good condition. Paddy and ragi in the Chikmagalur Taluk; paddy, ragi and jola in the Tarikere Taluk and paddy and arecanut in the malnad parts and ragi, jola, samé, haraka, baragu and navane in the Kadur Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Fodder and water available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition throughout the district except in parts of Holalkere where the pigeon-pea and cow gram are being damaged by insects in some places. Ragi, jola, navane, samé, horse gram and kambu in the Chitaldrug Taluk; paddy and navane in the Hiriyur Taluk; jola and ragi in the Holalkere Taluk; paddy, jola, ragi, navane and samé in the Davangere Taluk; jola, navane and ragi in the Jagalur Taluk and ragi, samé and kambu in the Hosdurga Taluk are being harvested. Wheat and paddy in the Chitaldrug Taluk; Bengal gram and white jola in the Holalkere Taluk and Bengal gram in the Davangere Taluk are being sown during the week.

10. Prospects of the season fair. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.

11. Public health generally good. Fever prevails in the Chitaldrug, Hiriyur, Jagalur, Molakalmuru and Hosdurga Taluks and in parts of the Davangere Taluk.

12. Cattle healthy. Pasture and water sufficient.

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